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renumbering of the sequence identifications was due to the fact that asterixes contained in some sequences corresponded to stop codes. This resulted in the corresponding amino acid sequence being split in two.

Marked-up copies of pages 17, 25 and 26 are attached to show the changes which were made.

Applicant requests that the submitted pages be accepted.

An early action on the merits of the application is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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